Second Preliminary Amendement

Applicants: Adler et al. Serial No.: 10/091,166 Filed: March 5, 2002

For: NOVEL BETA-DEFENSINS

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments is respectfully requested.

Summary

It is respectfully submitted that claims 1-5, 21-26, 28, 29, 37, 38, and 40-50 are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly solicited. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' Agent at (206) 442-6540, if it is believed that prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Enclosures:

Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in duplicate)
Response to Restriction Requirement
Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
Application and Fee Transmittal Sheet
Filing Receipt
Postcard